MBNMS Research Activity Panel Meeting Agenda

Host: MBARI

Location: 7700 Sandholdt Road, Moss Landing **Date:** Friday, February 11th, 2005; 9 am to 12 pm

Institution Representatives:

- Chris Harrold (Chair) & Randy Kochevar, Monterey Bay Aquarium
- Andrew DeVogelaere (RAP Coordinator), Monterey Bay NMS
- Greg Cailliet, Moss Landing Marine Labs
- William Douros, Monterey Bay NMS
- Michael Field & Curt Storlazzi, United States Geological Survey
- Churchill Grimes & Mary Yoklavich, NOAA/National Marine Fisheries Service
- Steve Moore (Vice-Chair) & Rikk Kvitek, California State University, Monterey Bay
- Dan Costa & Mark Carr, University of California, Santa Cruz
- George Somero & Fiorenza Micheli, Hopkins Marine Station
- Francisco Chavez & Charles Paull, Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute
- Jan Roletto, Gulf of the Farallones NMS/Cordell Bank NMS
- Robin Tokmakian & Leslie Rosenfeld, Naval Postgraduate School
- · Rick Starr, University of California Sea Grant
- Mark Stephenson, CDFG/Marine Pollution Studies Lab
- William Sydeman, Point Reves Bird Observatory
- Kerstin Wasson & Eric Van Dyke, Elkhorn Slough NERR
- Geoff Wheat, National Undersea Research Program

At-Large Representatives:

- Jim Harvey, Moss Landing Marine Labs
- Caroline Pomeroy, University of California, Santa Cruz
- Charles Lester & Ross Clark, California Coastal Commission
- Charles Wahle & Aaron King, Institute for MPA Science
- Gary Sharp (Special Advisor), Center for Climate/Ocean Resources Study

Agenda:

CONSENT ITEMS

9:00 – 9:15 Introductions/modifications to the agenda (Chris Harrold)

• Introduction of Eric Van Dyke, new ESNERR alternate

PRESENTATIONS

9:15 – 10:00 Institutional update (Francisco Chavez)

California Current studies update (Francisco Chavez)

10:00 – 10:30 Proposed plans to drill IODP boreholes in the sanctuary (Geoff Wheat)

BREAK

10:30 - 10:45

10:45 – 11:00 Pelagic Shark Research Foundation: Update on monitoring projects

(Sean Van Sommeran)

DISCUSSION ITEMS

11:00 – 11:15 Sanctuary Currents update (Andrew DeVogelaere)

11:15 – 11:55 Update on February 2005 SAC meeting (Chris Harrold)

SUGGESTED FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

11:55 - 12:00

- Status of research permits in the sanctuary
- Update from John Stephens of Occidental College/Cal Poly on his southern MBNMS (Cambria) studies
- Status of the Ocean Observatory system
- Implementation of the new RAP Purpose and Protocols

Directions to MBARI:

Detailed directions and maps can be found at:

http://www.mbari.org/about/directions/directions.html

From the North:

- 1. Moss Landing is about 20 miles south of Santa Cruz on Highway 1. You will recognize the town by the Duke Energy power plant.
- 2. When you reach Moss Landing, turn **Right** onto **Moss Landing Road** (by The Whole Enchilada restaurant).
- 3. Take the first **Right** onto **Sandholdt Road**, just past the Harbor District sign. Cross the one-lane bridge and turn right.
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From the South:

- 1. Moss Landing is about 1/2 hour north of Monterey on Hwy 1.
- 2. Take **Highway 1 North for approximately** 22 miles to Moss Landing (recognizable by the Duke Energy power plant).
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